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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION AND
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Attorney Docket No.: 29473/10277

Mail Stop RCE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the following application:

Application No.	:	09/419,545
Filing Date	:	October 18, 1999
Inventor(s)	:	Darji et al.
Title	:	Attenuated Salmonella Strain Used as a Vehicle for Oral Immunization
Art Unit	:	1645
Examiner	:	S. Devi, Ph.D.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114

- ☒ Previously submitted
- ☒ Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed June 13, 2005
- ☒ Enclosed
- ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- ☒ Information disclosure statement

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Dated: July 11, 2005


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02 FC:2251

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2. Miscellaneous

- ☒ This is a petition for a 1 -month extension of time.
- ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months.
(Suspension period not to exceed 3 months; fee under 37. C.F.R. § 1.17(l) required).
- ☐ Other: _____

3. Fees

- ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) \$ 395.00
- ☒ Extension of time fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) \$ 60.00
- ☐ Other: _____ \$ _____

4. Method of Payment of Fees

- ☒ Enclosed is a check in the amount of: \$ 455.00
- ☐ Charge Deposit Account No. 13-2855 in the amount of: \$ _____
A copy of this transmittal is enclosed.

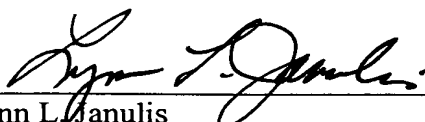
The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fee which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 13-2855, under Order No. 29473/10277. A copy of this paper is enclosed.

Please direct all future communications to Marshall, Gerstein & Borun LLP at the address below.

Dated: July 11, 2005

Respectfully submitted,

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In re Application of: Darji et al.

Application No.: 09/419,545

Group Art Unit: 1645

Filed: October 18, 1999

Examiner: S. Devi, Ph.D.

For: ATTENUATED SALMONELLA STRAIN
USED AS A VEHICLE FOR ORAL
IMMUNIZATION

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111 ACCOMPANYING
REQUEST FOR CONTINUING EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

Mail Stop RCE
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

This paper accompanies a Request for Continuing Examination (RCE) submitted herewith under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 and is in response to an Advisory Action mailed June 28, 2005. Please enter the amendment filed on June 13, 2005 along with the present amendment. Reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections is respectfully solicited for the reasons set out in the amendment filed on June 13, 2005. This response is timely filed as it is accompanied by a petition for an extension of time and the requisite fee.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5.